

The Outlook For Busy Edgerton

Little Village Fed by Large Area of Rich Land Shows Signs of Progress--Has a Community of Enthusiasts, Who Place Confidence in Country.

Lying peacefully near the Buffalo Town, although few of this town may realize it, Edgerton, a little town of future prospect, is each day slipping farther and farther to the front, assisted by the rich and fertile district that lies immediately adjoining.

The chief reason for the growth and signs of prosperity, is in the fact that the inhabitants of the little village and district are enthusiasts, liberal patrons and upholders, in every sense of the word. The result of this confidence and enthusiasm is perceived, in that the general stores in the village are justly successful. Business, at the present time is not at a standstill, by any means and although the late cold weather has made certain differences, the general tone of the community is very encouraging.

Edgerton is fed by an immense outlying district and already many are starting more sensible and profitable methods of farming. Rather than placing entire dependence upon their grain crop, many farmers are going into mixed farming, with considerable profit. The settlers of that district, according to a recent interview, with a leading Edgerton farmer, place great confidence in their village and district and are looking forward to an increased population and larger development during the year.

Debate, Concert And Box Social

Under the auspices of the Trustee Board of the Methodist Church, a debate, concert and box social will be held next Monday evening in the Auditorium, beginning at 8 o'clock.

The subject for debate will be a most interesting and instructive one and one which will embrace the present agitation against the alien, in Canada. Resolved that Asians should be excluded from Canada. The affirmative will be argued by Principal McLean, followed by Mr. Creighton, while the negative will be taken by Mr. H. G. Morrison and N.E. Cook.

A good program of vocal and instrumental music will be presented, in addition to the debates. No admission fee will be charged but box lunches will be sold. All ladies are asked to bring boxes.

The Event of The Season.

The Women's Auxiliary will hold a

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January, 25th.
AT 8 O'CLOCK

Humorous Sketches
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A Hard One To Describe

Hockey Game at Chauvin Most Exciting and Interesting One Seen for Some Time--E. D. Stimpson, as Goal Judge--Chauvin Has Good Team.

On Monday last, the local hockey team journeyed to Chauvin to cross sticks with the team at that point. A large number of rooters accompanied the team and the trip was one of continual amusement and enjoyment, by all who were fortunate enough to take it in.

The game was a secondary consideration and was likewise a most amusing one. The game started about four o'clock with six men to a side, one of the Chauvin players falling to put in an appearance. Lally was placed in the capacity of referee, until the other player arrived and was exceptionally sharp on all off-side plays, something that several of the local lineup need to guard against. Sam Lewis, on the arrival of the other player, took the whistle and continued for the rest of the game.

So far as the game is concerned, there is no need for many particulars, suffice it to say that five goals were shot by members of the local team, including a plug, into the net, from Wainwright, the Wainwright goal tender. On the other hand, Chauvin, showing bursts of speed at times, succeeded in planting the disc into the scorers' work for three tallies.

Of the Chauvin team, Smith and St. Pierre were easily the stars of the day, the latter being a heavy checker and a splendid skater. The other members of the team played well and stopped pass after pass, and rush after rush, from the local boys.

The greatest sensation of the game was the spectacular stop made by Ed. Stimpson, the Wainwright goal judge. Standing to one side of the net and leaning with one arm on the posts, he would look into the net to see where the puck had been placed. On one occasion, watching the nets, more closely than the puck, a hot shot from McMillan was stopped by the villain Edward's shin, right in the hardest part of the shin bone. From all appearances, he felt it as was evidenced by the manner, in which he hobbled around behind the net, fearing no doubt that another might accidentally lodge in the same place.

The boys returned home, in the evening by local freight, after a most enjoyable day and one, in which the hockey team had a valuable practice.

The lineup of the teams follow:

Chauvin	Goal	Wainwright
Cole	Goal	Washburn
Barton	Point	McMillan
McLuhan	C. Point	Morison
St. Pierre	Rover	Facey
Smith, Capt.	Center	Lally
Dundas	R. Wing	Isted
Newstead	L. Wing	Trenouth
Referee--Sam Lewis,	Goal	Judges E. D. Stimpson and
Fred Haltermann, Timer--	Coun. Mussen.	

Before the game started, the hockey team elected C. T. Lally captain for the season.

On Tuesday last, a car of gasoline, consigned to the Wainwright Flour & Feed Co., was burned at Tate, together with a car of oil. No serious damage resulted, further than the complete loss of the cars. The fire is supposed to have started from a hot box. Fortunately no one was injured in the fire and explosion.

School Report For 1910 Shows Marks of Splendid Progress.

Elections on Saturday Last, Resulted in Re-Election of W. E. Washburn for Two Years, S. J. Covey and H. Ward--All by Acclamation--Annual Report for Year Shows Splendid Progress--The only School Building ever Erected in Alberta, without a Cent of Extras.

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of Wainwright School District No. 1658 was held in Washburn & Mills hall, last Saturday morning, with very few of the citizens in attendance. The term of office as trustee of W. E. Washburn having expired, he was again elected by acclamation. The other trustees elected by acclamation were S. J. Covey, for two years and H. Ward for one year.

The trustees now number five, Chairman Pawling, P. E. Ross and those elected last week. The last selection by the citizens is looked upon as a good one, with the result that the new trustees, together with the members of the old board make up an aggregation of representatives, who intend making Wainwright a prominent educational centre and the best between Edmonton and Saskatoon.

What the old board has done for the town may be seen from the following report for the year. Their greatest achievement was the erection of a modern and up-to-date school, at a smaller expense to the town than was first anticipated. The Wainwright school is the only building in Alberta, which has been built, at a cost, lower than the contract price. The result of the extra efforts exerted by Chairman Pawling, together with his efficient board is manifested in the appearance of the building, the rapid strides made by the school during the past few months and the strong indication that Wainwright, in the immediate future will be as great an educational centre, as was planned. The board, during the past, have concentrated their efforts towards one great end,--in that the children of the town will not be handicapped by lack of training, in their education and now with the election of two new men, who no doubt will work in harmony, the public expects that greater strides will be made than heretofore.

Wainwright School District No. 1658.
Report of Trustees for Annual Meeting, held January 14th 1911.

A. The names of the Trustees are as follows: H. Y. Pawling, W. E. Washburn, P. E. Ross.
B. The Officers of the District appointed by the Trustees, and their salaries: Secretary, Treasurer, H. Y. Fieldhouse, Salary \$100.00. Principal for last term, N. S. Komey, Salary \$840.00 per annum. Principal for 2nd term, W. J. McLean, Salary \$1400.00 per annum. Assistant Teacher, Miss Edythe Aykroyd, Salary \$720.00.

C. Vacancies created in the Board during the year: J. H. Dawson resigned in April, and Mr. P. E. Ross was duly elected to fill his unexpired term.
D. The engagements entered into by the Board and an account of those entered upon them by their predecessors:
1. Mr. E. D. Stimpson was engaged as architect of the School at a remuneration of 5% of the total cost of the building.
2. P. D. Laird & Son were engaged to build School House for \$15,000.00.
3. McKnight & Frost were engaged to furnish heating plant for the School at a price of \$2049.00.
4. E. L. Christie of Brandon was engaged to paint School at a cost of \$31.70.
5. P. M. Christensen was engaged to build stable for \$431.75.
E. The number of regular meetings held during the year was twenty. Special meetings, fifteen. Mr. Dawson attended no meetings during the year. Mr. Pawling thirty-five, Mr. Washburn thirty-four, and Mr. Ross twenty-four.
F. Mr. Dawson visited the School three times, Mr. Pawling six times, Mr. Washburn six times, and Mr. Ross six times.

Statements of Receipts and Expenditures of Wainwright School District No. 1658, for the year 1910.

Receipts:

Balance from 1909.....\$116.92

Taxes collected current.....1834.08

Taxes collected arrears.....336.03

Interest on arrears.....35.52

Received Govt. grants.....308.15

Received from Debutantes.....1747.47

Received proceeds of Notes.....8314.44

Received from sale of School lots in Block 18.....175.10

Received from other sources.....25.00

Total.....\$29008.72

Expenditures:

Paid Teachers salaries \$1118.80

Officers' Salaries.....100.00

Promissory notes.....9200.70

on building account 10937.00

on School grounds.....550.54

Total.....\$29008.72

For supplies, Stationery, etc.....222.23

for care-taking.....144.50

for fuel.....204.57

Insurance.....7.20

rent.....148.00

error in village check.....25.00

Sundries.....24.75

Total.....\$29007.59

Excess of Expenditures over Receipts.....\$67.17

The amounts of money due to the district are as follows:

Wainwright Flour & Feed Co.....\$32.00

For Stove and Fittings.....1386.41

Uncollected taxes.....\$1418.41

Total.....\$1418.41

The amounts of money due by the district are as follows:

Merchants Bank overdraft.....\$67.17

Teachers Salaries.....589.20

Secretary's Salary.....50.00

P. D. Laird & Son, balance on school.....715.04

McKnight & Frost, balance on school.....662.21

E. D. Stimpson, balance on architect fees.....363.42

Insurance premium.....228.00

Telephone.....12.22

P. E. Ross, expense account 16.50

W. E. Washburn, expense account.....16.50

H. Y. Pawling, expense account.....10.00

H. Y. Fieldhouse, stamps, telegrams and supplies.....22.98

Advertising.....5.80

Musson & Ross, Supplies.....20.00

Rev. Alf. H. Sub. to Sailors' Society.....5.00

Caretaking.....24.20

P. D. Laird & Son, well, pump, etc.....74.43

Total.....\$2886.71

N. B. Since the first of the year all these amounts have been paid except P. D. Laird & Son, \$38.50 retained for completion of building, and \$74.43 their bill re well, pump, etc., and a note \$3,000.00 has been discounted with the Merchants Bank to cover.

The sum of \$431.70 is also owing E. L. Christie for school supplies, seats and equipment, but same have not yet arrived.

Statement of Tax Collector: Assessed value of property as shown by the assessment roll, \$906,061.44.

Rate of taxation five mills on the dollar.....\$3,333.33

Amount of taxes levied in 1910.....\$3,333.33

Current taxes collected.....1,832.08

Arrears collected.....672.15

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Maternity Home And Hospital

Dr. Watson Has Established Private Hospital in Spacious Building on Fourth Avenue--Will Have Staff of Trained Nurses.

The doors of the spacious building, recently erected by Dr. W. A. Watson, have been thrown open and a hospital established, under the superintendence of Dr. Watson.

The establishment will in future be known as the Wainwright Maternity Home and Private Hospital, where all forms of non-contagious, medical and surgical diseases will be treated.

A capable and efficient staff of nurses will be in attendance, and the welfare of the patient carefully looked after.

Dr. Watson has been in Wainwright for upwards of three years and since coming here has earned a reputation for himself, both in medical and surgical practice. On the other hand, such an institution of this kind has been sorely needed by the inhabitants of the town and district for a long time past.

Poultry Meetings For 1911

A series of poultry meetings will be held in different sections of Alberta beginning with Monday, January 23rd.

The meetings will be held for the interest of a farmer and will be operated under the auspices of the Department of Agriculture. At Wainwright on Saturday, January 28th, beginning at 2 o'clock, two leading speakers will discuss topics that should be of vital importance to the farmer. Messrs. E. J. Cook and A. W. Foley will be the speakers for the occasion.

Matters of interest to the farmers, in the poultry raising, dealing with methods of raising, hatching, feeding, rearing etc. will be dealt with, from a practical standpoint. As yet, it is not known, in what building the meeting will be held. But the date is Saturday January 28th, beginning at 2 P. M. and everybody is welcome.

The meeting of the C. C. Society next Tuesday evening will take the form of a patriotic evening. Songs, solos, instrumental music and a debate will be the features. The subject for debate will be: Resolved that Canada is a better country to live in than the United States. Everybody is cordially invited to all these gatherings.

Beginning January 23rd, Train No 89 will leave Biggar at seven o'clock in the morning, arriving here at 6 P. M. The change of schedule will no doubt be a very satisfactory one and will be welcomed by those going a short distance down the line, on No. 2, wishing to return the same day.

K. P., Installation Of Officers

Last Wednesday night, the annual installation of officers in the K. P. Lodge took place, under the direction of District Deputy Grand Chancellor Stimpson of the Grand Lodge. The following officers were installed:

S. Gregory, C. C. W. A. Watson, V. C. Chas. Walliker, E. H. Y. Pawling, M. of F. W. J. McPhos, M. E. M. A. Harpell, M. of W. G. H. Beaudry, K. R. E. W. E. Washburn, M. A. G. E. Kyle, J. G. W. Small, O. G.

Train Fatality At Butte

East Bound Passenger Train Runs Down Dead Mule on Sunday Last--Body Brought Here for Inquest--Result to be Known This Afternoon.

A very sad train accident occurred at Butte, three miles east of Chauvin, on Sunday last, when the east bound passenger train, carrying a double header, ran down William J. Smith, a deaf and dumb mute, who was walking the ties. The victim was returning home from work to spend Sunday with his brother and when coming off a curve, was struck and thrown from the track.

The body was finally brought to Wainwright, after the authorities in Saskatchewan had refused admittance of the corpse. Accompanying the body Mr. Thomas Smith, brother of the deceased, arrived here on Tuesday.

Coroner Watson empaneled and summoned the following jury to appear at the inquest last evening: W. E. Washburn, P. Dewar, G. H. Beaudry, E. C. Logan, V. E. Graham and N. E. Cook.

At the inquest, Thos. Smith, Frank Everett, engineer on the passenger train, which killed the deceased and H. R. Schutell, fireman of the same train, gave evidence concerning the fatality. Evidence, before adjournment went to prove that the man had been deaf for upwards of fifty years and could hear

How Striped Materials Are Used



Velvet for a Street Suit.



As a Lining for a Satin Wrap.



Striped Silk Combined with Plain.



A Large Hat of Silk.



Under a Chiffon Dress.



The Separate Voile Blouse.

PARIS says "stripes," and America adds, "with a discreet eye on the figure of the wearer." The materials are varied, and they are used in every possible way to give the effect that is a relief in this day of many different weaves. Stripes bob up serenely every season, and the message today to women is how the striped fabrics are used.

There's velvet, for instance, used for the street suit. If the word of Paris is to be regarded, velvet is the fabric paramount for fall and winter; and here it is in a soft shade of brown with cream stripes. There is a panel at the front with the stripes running vertically. A deep hem of horizontal stripes is placed at the lower part of the coat, the same modified band being used on the cuffs. On the skirt this is again observed, and the whole costume stands as a charming exploitation of stripes that suit any figure, the horizontal offsetting the vertical.

A large hat of silk is shown giving stripes an excellent opportunity to form a background for the trimming. The frame is covered with black and white silk and lined with black. A huge bow of black velvet is placed over the round crown and held down under white silk poppies.

Under the chiffon dress is used a striped silk of peacock blue. Here is an excellent suggestion for the use of last year's dress; for veiled fabrics are quite in order and stripes are in decided vogue. A deep hem of plain silk holds the outer material in under a piping; the plain yoke, belt and cuffs are used on the bodice, softening down the whole dress into a study in blues.

The entire gown of black and white striped silk is shown in an afternoon gown that hints of the time of the French kings. A high line, large, supple revers, a

giraffe of brilliant blue, its sash end hanging in front, and a deep hem of six folds of plain silk make up this gown. The stripes run up and down on the bodice; and there are the continued sleeves, ending in plain cuffs over the subcuff of heavy lace. A little panel of horizontal stripes outlined with plain is inset at each side of the skirt.

In the separate voile blouse stripes are artistically combined with plain silk, hand embroidery and soutache. Blue and white is the color scheme. Fine tucks give a trifle of fullness over each shoulder, the sleeves extending halfway and outlined by six buttons and cords. A puff of the striped material is edged with silk and lace. The square line at the yoke is deepened by soutache braid in two squares at the sides. With a skirt of striped material or corded velvet this blouse is particularly suitable to be worn.

For the lining of a silk wrap striped satin gives a good effect. The durability of material in black and white is undeniable. There is half the possibility of becoming soiled, and there is always the easy matching in color.

Stripes have the power to change, in appearance at least, the figure. They accent the line in the direction in which they run—a point that it would be well to remember. Here are six ideas for using striped fabrics. From them surely every woman can make a wise choice for the coming season.



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THE BLACK BAG

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(Continued.)

CHAPTER XVIII.

TO the time of a moderating wind the morning wearied away. Kirkwood went on deck once for direction from the invisible money. It all got a sound drizzling of spray and was glad to dodge below and dry himself.

He had the pleasure of his mate's company at dinner, the captain remaining on deck until Hobbs had finished and gone up to relieve him, and by that time Kirkwood was through. Stryker went down with a blustering show of cheer. "Well, well, my little man!" (It happened that he tapped Kirkwood's stature by at least five inches.) "En'jin yer sea trip?"

"About as much as you'd expect," snapped Kirkwood.

"Or?" The captain began to shovel food into his face. Kirkwood watched him, fascinated with suspense. It seemed impossible that the man could continue so to employ his knife without cutting his throat from the inside. But years of such manipulation had made him expert, and his guest, keenly disappointed at length came to hope.

Between gobbles Stryker eyed him furiously.

"Treat me all right!" he demanded abruptly.

Kirkwood started out of a brown study. "What? What? Why, I suppose I ought to be—indeed, I am grateful," he asserted. "Certainly you saved my life and—"

"Now, I don't mean that," Stryker gathered the impatience into his paw and flung it disdainfully to the four winds of heaven. "Hess yer art, you're welcome."

He thrust his plate away and shifted aside in his chair. "I'm just wondering," he pursued, picking his teeth meditatively with a penknife. "How feeds you in them asylums?"

"I've never been inside one myself, it's only natural I'd be cur'us. There was one of them institutions near where I was borned—Birmingham, that is. I used to see the loolies playin' in the grounds. I remember just as well One of 'em an' me struck up quite an acquaintance."

"Naturally he'd take to you on sight."

"Owl! Stryker, 'ow we 'it it off, right? You make me think of 'em. Young chap, 'e was the true art an' himage of you. It don't happen, does it, you're the same man? We was all plain to look at, see crowd 'em?"

He wore the joke throughbore even to his own taste and in the end he heavily to his feet, starting for the companionway. "I don't know, I don't know," he remarked casually. "Come 3 o'clock or thereabouts—perhaps later I don't know, though, as I'd ought to let you loose."

Kirkwood made no answer. Cautiously, Stryker went on deck.

In the course of the day the American followed him. The Althea was within the wide jaws of the western Scheldt. Kirkwood approached the captain, who, acting as a pilot, was standing by the wheel and bawling sharp orders to the helmsman.

"Have you a Bradshaw on board?" asked the young man.

"Steady!" This to the man at the wheel; then to Kirkwood, "What's that, me lad?"

Kirkwood repeated his question. Stryker eyed him suspiciously for a thought.

"What'd you want it for?"

"I want to see when I can get a boat back to England."

"Ah—m! Yes, you'd find a Bradshaw in the port locker, near the forward bulkhead. But along now an' p'y, an' mind you don't tear'n out the pages to myke p'pper boats to go ashore!"

Kirkwood went below, found the designated locker and, opening it, saw first to his hand the familiar bulky red volume.

The strap removed, the book opened easily, as if by force of habit, at the precise table he had wished to consult. Some previous client had left a marker between the pages and not an ordinary bookmark by any manner of means. Kirkwood gave utterance to a little snap of amusement and instinctively glanced up at the companionway to see if he were observed.

He was not, but for safety's sake he moved further back into the cabin and out of the range of vision of any eye on deck—a precaution which was almost immediately justified by the clumping of heavy feet upon the steps as Stryker descended in pursuit of the ever essential drink.

"Find it?" he demanded, staring blindly with eyes not yet focused to the change from light to gloom at the young man, who was sitting with the guide open on his knees, a tightly clutched red resting on the transom at either side of him.

In reply he received a moneyable nod.

affirmative. Kirkwood did not look up. "You must be a howl," commented the captain, making for the seductive notice.

"A what?"

"A howl, readin' that fine print there in the dark. Why don't you go over to the light? I'll 'ave to 'ave them 'shiners tyen off the winders."

"I'm all right," Kirkwood went on, studying the book.

Stryker adjusted off his rum and alped his lips with the back of a red nail, hesitating a moment to watch his guest.

"Stykes, it seem more 'unsible for you, I expect," he observed.

"What do you mean?"

"Why, Bradshaw's first cousin to a baloonack, ain't it? Can't get on a baloonack, ain't it? Can't get on a baloonack, ain't it?"

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"I've never been inside one myself, it's only natural I'd be cur'us. There was one of them institutions near where I was borned—Birmingham, that is. I used to see the loolies playin' in the grounds. I remember just as well One of 'em an' me struck up quite an acquaintance."

"Naturally he'd take to you on sight."

"Owl! Stryker, 'ow we 'it it off, right? You make me think of 'em. Young chap, 'e was the true art an' himage of you. It don't happen, does it, you're the same man? We was all plain to look at, see crowd 'em?"

He wore the joke throughbore even to his own taste and in the end he heavily to his feet, starting for the companionway. "I don't know, I don't know," he remarked casually. "Come 3 o'clock or thereabouts—perhaps later I don't know, though, as I'd ought to let you loose."

Kirkwood made no answer. Cautiously, Stryker went on deck.

In the course of the day the American followed him. The Althea was within the wide jaws of the western Scheldt. Kirkwood approached the captain, who, acting as a pilot, was standing by the wheel and bawling sharp orders to the helmsman.

"Have you a Bradshaw on board?" asked the young man.

"Steady!" This to the man at the wheel; then to Kirkwood, "What's that, me lad?"

Kirkwood repeated his question. Stryker eyed him suspiciously for a thought.

"What'd you want it for?"

"I want to see when I can get a boat back to England."

"Ah—m! Yes, you'd find a Bradshaw in the port locker, near the forward bulkhead. But along now an' p'y, an' mind you don't tear'n out the pages to myke p'pper boats to go ashore!"

Kirkwood went below, found the designated locker and, opening it, saw first to his hand the familiar bulky red volume.

The strap removed, the book opened easily, as if by force of habit, at the precise table he had wished to consult. Some previous client had left a marker between the pages and not an ordinary bookmark by any manner of means. Kirkwood gave utterance to a little snap of amusement and instinctively glanced up at the companionway to see if he were observed.

He was not, but for safety's sake he moved further back into the cabin and out of the range of vision of any eye on deck—a precaution which was almost immediately justified by the clumping of heavy feet upon the steps as Stryker descended in pursuit of the ever essential drink.

"Find it?" he demanded, staring blindly with eyes not yet focused to the change from light to gloom at the young man, who was sitting with the guide open on his knees, a tightly clutched red resting on the transom at either side of him.

When the Althea was clear, and the brigantine was well in hand behind waves and still footing a rattling pace, Antwerp was in sight.

A treacherous crew stirring in his mind, Kirkwood looked round the deck, but Stryker was very busy, entirely too preoccupied with the handling of the ship to be interrupted with anything. Stryker, however, was plenty of time.

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Holden,	Wednesday,	" 25th,	"
Viking,	Thursday,	" 26th,	"
Irma,	Friday,	" 27th,	"
Wainwright,	Saturday,	" 28th,	"

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By Mr. QUAD.

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RADON DOLBY had been told at the supper table, that if he wanted a patch he had to wait until the next day. He was a little disappointed, but he had no choice. He was a little disappointed, but he had no choice. He was a little disappointed, but he had no choice.

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OLD-TIME RIOTS.

At London Have Been in a Turmoil.

FOUNDED THE M.C.A.

SIR GEORGE WILLIAMS WAS FORMERLY A GRAPERS' CLERK.

In His Efforts to Improve the Condition of the Young Men With Whom He Associated in the Emerald.

By Mr. QUAD.

The origin of the M. C. A. is unknown to many people in Canada. The history of the beginning is the history of the efforts of a young man in a drapery shop in London to better the condition of the other young men in the establishment where he was employed.

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IRISH PERFECTOS.

Growing of Tobacco in the Emerald.

ROMANCE OF MEDICINE.

Course of History Changed by a Son of a Vermont Farmer.

By Mr. QUAD.

Dr. Arthur Conant Doyle, residing in some London medical student, told several stories illustrating what he called the "romance of medicine." The last of these was, for instance, was due to a skin disease which produced bald patches on the scalp of the famous Napoleon.

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MINISTER AND WRITER.

REV. W. T. ALLISON HAS DONE WELL IN BOTH FIELDS.

NEW PROFESSOR IN ENGLISH AT WESLEY COLLEGE, WINNIPEG.

University of Toronto in 1898, and a B.A. from the University of Toronto in 1900.

By Mr. QUAD.

Rev. W. T. Allison, the new professor in English at Wesley College, Winnipeg, was brought up in Toronto, and in that city received the education which has fitted him for the position which he now occupies.

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THE CHILLY CHUMPT.

She Had Been Reading that a Titled Englishman Advised Married Women to Live with Their Husbands.

FAT WIVES.

The People in the Emerald of Africa Have Many Curious Customs and Superstitions.

By Mr. QUAD.

The people in the Emerald of Africa have many curious customs and superstitions, and among the former may be mentioned the fashion of having wives who are fat.

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THE PIMPERNEL.

Not Every One Knows What Flower is Meant by the Pimpernel in the Famous Lullaby.

THE WHITE LILY BLOSSOM.

It is a Pretty English Wild Flower of the Primrose Family and Commonly Known as "Poor Man's Weather Glass."

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CHIMNEYS.

Principles Constructed on Modern Principles Were Almost Unknown to the Ancients.

AN ANXIOUS TIME.

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NEWS ITEMS OF INTEREST

Councillor T. G. Cook was a passenger to Edmonton on Tuesday on a business trip.

Miss McGregor, the popular school teacher, spent the week end in Irma.

Mr. M. L. Forster is wearing a regular nigger smile, over the arrival of a bouncing baby girl, on Saturday morning last.

S. G. Lewis was a visitor in town on Monday and Tuesday last, accompanying the hockey team.

Mayor Pawling was a passenger to Edmonton on Monday last, on business, connected with the firm of Harpell & Pawling.

Superintendent Mills of the Buffalo Park claims that it was so cold at the Park last week, that his thermometer froze and it was necessary to keep it near the fire for hours, in order to thaw it out.

Harry, the small child of Mr. and Mrs. Hart Laird on Saturday night last, was the victim of a distressing and painful accident. The little one fell on a red hot stove and suffered severe injuries, to his neck and head.

The citizens of this town experienced the coldest days in the history of the town, on Thursday and Friday last. The former record was 53 degrees below, but the bottom notch was reached last week, when the mercury dropped to 64.

The Wainwright Fuel Co. on and after January 20th, will run and operate their business, on a strictly cash basis. This is the result of Edmonton wholesalers demanding cash for the balance of the season. See their full page ad. for particulars.

Presbyterian Church services will be held in the new church next Sunday at the usual hours. The morning text will be, "Religion is character." Sunday School at 9 in the afternoon. The subject of sermon for the evening, "Greatness as Service."

Messrs. H. V. Fieldhouse, P. E. Ross, Lou McLaughlin and S. G. Betts took the delayed passenger train to Edmonton last Tuesday night to attend the annual Bonspiel there on Wednesday and Thursday.

Manager Morison of the Merchants Bank and Coun. Cook had a very enjoyable drive from Edmonton to Wainwright last Tuesday night. The distance of twenty miles was driven in six hours. Nothing slow about them.

Mr. and Mrs. Haines of Irma were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Forster on Monday and Tuesday. On the latter day, they all enjoyed a trip to Edmonton.

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TRAINED NURSE IN ATTENDANCE

RATES REASONABLE

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McPhee returned, on Friday last, from a month's vacation to the west.

Mr. J. F. Barton of Edmonton was a visitor in town last week.

Mrs. B. M. Collette and child of Irma were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Fieldhouse, last week.

No. 1 on Tuesday was delayed seven hours, the result of a serious freight train derailment at Tate.

On Monday, Mr. and Mrs. W. Small were passengers to Saskatoon, where they will visit for a week or more.

Rev. Mr. Havelle, who has been in charge of the services at St. Thomas' Church of England here, for the past eight months, left last Friday for Edmonton, where he will preach in the future.

"Mick" Harpell is very anxious to know when the battle of Trafalgar was fought and where Sir John Moore was killed. Any information concerning these, would be appreciated by "Mick."

George Smith, last week suffered a large loss, when two very valuable horses, valued at \$250 and \$150 broke into the groutery of E. C. Buckley and ate an over abundance of oats, from the effects of which, they both died.

M. Mckenzieburg, A. M., the celebrated and twenty year experienced eye specialist will again be in Wainwright on Monday, January 30th. Office at the Wainwright Hotel. Your eyes promptly, thoroughly and scientifically examined, tested to the proper glasses. Satisfaction guaranteed, fees moderate.

Dr. Edgar and wife and Mrs. Edgar's sister left for Montreal on Tuesday. Dr. Edgar was called to the bedside of his sick mother and will be absent from town for sometime.

The Edmonton hockey team plays here tomorrow, at the local rink, beginning at 8:30 sharp. All places of business will be closed, a good crowd is expected to patronize this home team.

C. W. Thompson, better known as "Tom" had the misfortune to freeze his hands and feet very severely last week, while out with Joe Louis for a load of wood. His hands are very badly frost bitten and his feet so badly frozen that he is still nursing them.

Evangelist P. J. Johnson, who has just completed a series of services at Irma, was a visitor at the parsonage this week. He also called on friends at Trailburg and Greenhills.

The members of the office staff at this local station, greatly appreciate the kind gift of a box of cigars from "Tiny" Betts, on his departure to Edmonton. Since his leaving for the capital cigar smoking has been a luxury, among the dispatchers and their friends and the little tokens have been lavishly disposed of.

BORN - To Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Forster, on Saturday January 14th, a daughter.

BORN - To Mr. and Mrs. Frances Hubert, on January 7th, a daughter.

BORN - To Mr. and Mrs. Angus McQuaker, on January 10th, a son and daughter.

Wrestling Bout for Championship

While the hockey team was on their trip to Chateau on Monday preliminary arrangements were made for a wrestling bout, between M. Ripley and Fred Halterman, as a benefit for the hockey club.

The match will be waged, in the Auditorium on February 1st, if proper arrangements can be made.

During this preliminary arrangement, Coun. Musson, who accompanied the team, acted as Chairman and spoke on behalf of the others present, when he stated that the citizens would offer a purse of \$25, a gold medal or its equivalent in value to the successful man. The conditions of the fight were that a platform be built on the stage of the Auditorium, with a large encircling ring, both contestants to appear in wrestling trunks or tights, or if they wished, could appear in their dress suits. Each gambled that he could throw the other in thirty seconds, one of them offering to bet \$25 that the other couldn't wrestle a bloom.

However, after the Chairman asked for forfeits, each showed their willingness to come through with a deposit and in all likelihood, the match will be arranged for by Coun. Musson, who has already offered to pay \$10 towards the match. Other citizens have likewise showed much enthusiasm in the matter and were it to take place, there is little doubt but that the hall would be crowded, an amusing hours entertainment, and enough money raised, outside guarantees, to defray the expenses of the hockey team for years to come.

Scrappers Taken into Custody and Fined.

Considerable excitement was caused last Monday evening, when a well known homesteader and a local man, mixed things up in a lively five fingered fight. Both were somewhat intoxicated and the homesteader came off second best. His assailant was taken into custody by Police Officer Walliker, together with another local young man who was causing trouble and disturbing the peace. The two disturbers of the peace were placed in a cell at the local police station and tried on Tuesday morning, before Justice Peace Dawson. All pleaded guilty and fines of six dollars and costs were imposed on the two local men. The homesteader who was also mixed up in the scrap, was fined \$5 and costs and let go with a warning.

The atmosphere was extremely cold and the high winds were biting and frosty; snow, three feet in depth, lay everywhere over the plains and the effects of the frost, expressed at times by the pioneer bank manager were omens of future effects. The result came and with it, the frozen feet and hands of the explorer, together with a second freezing of his nose. The two adventurers arrived in town at 10:30 in the evening since which time, exciting and interesting tales have been told of their hunt for that which the councillor's namesake, Dr. Cook had failed to find.

The North Pole Found At Last

Coun. Cook claims to have discovered the North Pole in company with H. G. Morison, on Tuesday evening last. The location of the pole, from observations taken, lies some where between Edmonton and Greenhills. These observations were not scientific ones, but those that would appeal to any individual, who had been there.

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